

THE WEATHER
Unsettled tonight
and Wednesday;
probably showers.

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

Metal Quotations
NEW YORK, Feb.
18.—Bar silver, 48%
Copper, 14%.

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POPE SEEKS TO BRING AN END TO THE WAR

Russian General Admits Loss of an Entire Army Corps

THIS NATION IS NOW FACING A GRAVE CRISIS

FORMER PRESIDENT TAFT DECLARES
"WE MUST STAND BY PRESIDENT
TO THE END WHEN HE TAKES ACTION"

(By Associated Press.)
MORRISTOWN, N. J., Feb. 22.—THE UNITED STATES IS THREATENED WITH A SERIOUS INVASION OF ITS RIGHTS AS A NEUTRAL POWER BY THE WARRING NATIONS, AND IN PRESERVING ITS COMMERCE WITH THOSE NATIONS IS FACE TO FACE WITH A CRISIS. IN THE OPINION OF FORMER PRESIDENT TAFT, IN THE SOLUTION OF THE CRISIS, SHOULD IT ARISE, NO JINGO SPIRIT MUST BE ALLOWED TO PREVAIL; NEITHER PRIDE NOR MOMENTARY PASSION SHOULD INFLUENCE OUR JUDGMENT.
"AND WHEN THE PRESIDENT SHALL ACT," HE SAID, "WE MUST STAND BY HIM TO THE END." THE REFERENCE TO THE SITUATION OF THE UNITED STATES WAS MADE BEFORE THE WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION OF NEW JERSEY TODAY.
"OUR EFFORTS FOR PEACE WERE MADE AS COMPLETE AS POSSIBLE, FOR THE PRESIDENT HAS ALREADY TENDERED HIS GOOD OFFICES AND THEY WERE NOT ACCEPTED. MINE PLANTING IN THE OPEN SEA AND THE USE OF SUBMARINES TO SEND NEUTRAL VESSELS TO THE BOTTOM, IS A VIOLATION FROM THE RULES OF INTERNATIONAL LAW GOVERNING THE ACTION OF BELLIGERENTS TOWARD NEUTRAL TRADE."

MIDWAY IS GOING TO THE DEEP DEEPS

DESPITE MACHINE DIFFICULTY, SHAFT IS STEADILY DESCENDING TO NEW LEVELS

The Midway mine is looking very promising today. As to the vein upon which the Montana is stopping and at a point only 110 feet from the Midway line, it was worked out by the Midway on one of the levels, but there is every assurance that it will be picked up at greater depth and afford considerable ore. The Midway is now equipped to go to great depth and is reorganized so that it is on a splendid financial basis and has a management that is willing to take a run so long as the goal is in sight. It is whispered about "brokers' row" that Midway is one of the promising offerings on the market.

HEAVY WATER FLOW IN THE COAL MINE

NEW BOILER TO BE INSTALLED AND SHAFT SENT TO THE DEPTHS

H. A. Darms, president of the Darms Coal Mining company, which is operating at Coaldale, is in Tonopah today. He has been compelled to suspend operations on account of the heavy flow of water. A new 60-horse power boiler has been ordered and it is expected to have it on the ground inside of ten days, when operations will be resumed. The mine is now 421 feet deep on a seventy-degree incline shaft. The water came in with the crosscutting of the first vein, which showed a much better quality than on the surface. There are at least two other veins lying below the first, which will be pierced when the new boiler is installed. As soon as the veins are cut there will be an output of a few cars for demonstration purposes and later the mine will be worked on a commercial basis, so as to get the full trade from the southern Nevada camps.

CUP RACE POSTPONED BECAUSE OF WEATHER

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—On account of unsatisfactory condition of the course and threatening weather, the Vanderbilt cup race was postponed until March 6.

CASH BOY BREAKS INTO HANGING WALL

APPEARANCES INDICATE ENTRANCE INTO HANGING WALL OF VEIN

The last round of shots fired in the Cash Boy shaft Saturday evening showed that the shaft is descending into the hanging wall of a ledge. A careful sampling after the blasts revealed an average of \$6.40. Manager Eddie Mead feels confident of the approach of an excellent grade of ore. He says the indications are that it is either the Merger or the Murray vein. The work of sinking will be suspended for several days while the shaft is put in shape for more rapid work. It is probable that three full shifts will be employed hereafter.

TWO OF MANHATTAN'S PROPERTIES TO START

WORK WILL BEGIN ON LITTLE GREY AND BIG CHIEF IN ABOUT ONE MONTH

Donald Muir of San Francisco and A. Morgan Orven and E. E. W. Partson of Canada, returned to Tonopah Saturday night from Manhattan, where they made an inspection of the Mushet-Wittenberg mill and the Little Grey and Big Chief mines. They report that the two mining properties will resume operations in about a month, or as soon as weather conditions permit. They expect to operate on a larger scale than before. The physical condition of the properties appealed to the visitors, who are heavily interested. On their return trip from the pine tree camp the party faced a blizzard, which was so severe that the driver was compelled to lower the wind shield in order to keep in the road across the plain. It required four hours to make the trip.

TONOPAH BASKETBALL TEAM WILL DEPART

Thursday morning's train will convey the girls' basketball team of the Tonopah high school to Reno, where a game will be played with the high school team there and later a game will be played at Gardnerville with a team of the Douglas county high school. These are both return matches. It is possible that a team from the Lovelock high school will be met later.

AMERICAN STEAMER STRIKES MINE IN NORTH SEA AND GOES TO THE BOTTOM

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Secretary Daniels has ordered Commander Gherardi, the American naval attaché at Berlin, to investigate and report on the destruction of the American steamer Evelyn. So far the advice merely reported the sinking of the vessel and cargo and gave no details. It is difficult to determine what actually destroyed the Evelyn. A Berlin dispatch said it struck a mine of unknown nationality in the North sea. Chairman Stone, of the senate foreign relations committee, said he could see no complications arising. "The American vessel ventured into an area known to be mined and unfortunately struck one. It is not known what nation laid the mine."

MONARCH PITTSBURG HAS SOLID FACE OF SHIPPING ORE IN ITS CROSSCUT

Branch Smith, superintendent of the Monarch Pittsburg mine, under whose direction ore of excellent character and apparently of considerable extent, has been found, stated today to the Bonanza: "I regret that I have nothing to add to the statement I gave you yesterday, except that we are still penetrating the ore body and, instead of 'shooting it out,' we appear to be 'shooting it in.' So far as we have penetrated the ore there is pay on sides, top and bottom as well as the face, which is 4 1/2 by 7 feet, making it quite a sizeable shoot of ore. The lowest assay thus far obtained is \$2.40, which is quartz that is easily separated from the other. The balance runs up to as high as \$100 and then some. Where the ruby silver is to be seen the values are so strong that I will not quote them. I do not claim that we have a big bonanza, but I do know that our entire face is of a grade that will ship without sorting. As I stated before, our progress through this hard quartz is slow, but we are doing the best we can and are not withholding any information from the public."

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY REMEMBERED

BUSINESS PARTLY SUSPENDED AND PREPARATIONS MADE FOR PARTIES TONIGHT

Washington's birthday was celebrated in Tonopah with but few visible signs. Flags were flown from public buildings and the galleons frames of the mines. The banks were closed and so were the barber shops for a portion of the day. As it is a non-judicial day, there were no sessions of the district or township courts and the public offices were closed. This evening a number of social events, described more at length elsewhere in this issue, will take place. A number of dinner parties will take place this afternoon, at which the decorations will be in the national colors. The schools continued in session, but there were patriotic exercises in a number of the rooms, as well as rehearsals for the Big Brother day program in the gymnasium this evening.

TWO MEN KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

ACCIDENT TO FAST MAIL SAID TO BE DUE TO RAILS SPREADING

(By Associated Press.)
AFTON JUNCTION, Iowa, Feb. 22.—James Maxwell, engineer, and H. L. Hickok, fireman, both of Des Moines, were killed, and M. Perry Waterloo, a mail clerk, was injured in a wreck on the Chicago and Great Western road today. It was believed to be due to spreading rails. The train was bound from Des Moines to Kansas City. No passengers were injured.

SAFE IS BLOWN OPEN AND PLUNDER SECURED

(By Associated Press.)
FARMERSBURG, Ind., Feb. 22.—The safe of the Citizens' state bank was blown open today and the robbers secured \$5,000. They drilled the safe with electricity.

POSSE AND REDMEN BATTLING IN UTAH

WHITES ARE REINFORCED AND HAVE INDIAN OUTLAWS SURROUNDED

(By Associated Press.)
SALT LAKE, Feb. 22.—A dispatch from Grayson, Utah, reports fighting between United States Marshal Nebeker's posse and Plute Indians still in progress near Bluff. Four additional Indians have been captured. Twenty-nine men have left Monticello to reinforce posse.

(By Associated Press.)
DENVER, Feb. 22.—Grayson advises say that the Indians under Tse-Na-Gat, who fought a desperate battle yesterday with Nebeker's posse are surrounded. The whites have been reinforced. So far as known no more casualties have occurred after the fighting of yesterday, when J. C. Aiken, a member of the posse, an Indian man and an Indian girl were killed. Ranchmen are arming and hurrying toward the scene.

NORWAY AND SWEDEN HOLDING CONFERENCE

FREIGHT STEAMER SUNK IN COLLISION IN THE NORTH SEA

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Feb. 22.—The Norwegian freight steamer Cuba has been sunk in a collision in the North sea. There were no casualties. The Scandinavian governments are conferring as a result of the German submarine warfare. The outcome is being watched closely.

MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND RUSS SOLDIERS AND SEVEN GENERALS CAPTURED IN EAST PRUSSIA CAMPAIGN

(By Associated Press.)
ROME, Feb. 22.—It is reported that the pope again approached the kaiser in the hope of preparing the way for peace negotiations. Germany, while enjoying an excellent military position, is feeling keenly the effects of the war, and has modified its views subject to the conditions of peace.

(By Associated Press.)
PETROGRAD, Feb. 22.—The loss of an entire army corps in the recent retreat from East Prussia is admitted by the Russian general staff in its version of the German victory. Only portions of this corps, broken and disorganized, escaped.

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, Feb. 22.—The war office has announced that the Russian tenth army corps was "considered as having been destroyed" as a result of the recent German victory in East Prussia. More than one hundred thousand Russians, including seven generals, were captured before the pursuit of the retreating forces was brought to an end. In Voges further German victories are claimed, including the capture of another town. The allies' losses in the fighting in Champagne have been extraordinarily high.

AMERICAN RED CROSS WOMEN WORK HARD

EXCELLENT CARE TAKEN IN FRANCE OF ILL AND INJURED SOLDIERS

(By Associated Press.)
NICE, Feb. 22.—The American Red Cross hospital here occupies a villa about a hundred yards from the sea, with 34 beds, all endowed for the duration of the war. It is in the charge of a French military surgeon, but the operators' room is in the care of an American doctor, and the nurses are all American women. American women have also organized a work-room where they spend the greater part of each day knitting warm clothing and patching worn garments for convalescent soldiers about to return to the front.

FIXED RECOGNITION OF SOLDIERS CITED

WAR CROSS WILL BEAR CUMULATIVE EVIDENCE OF PROWESS

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, Feb. 22.—A permanent recognition of soldiers cited in the orders of the day is proposed in the form of a "croix de Guerre" (war cross) consisting of a bronze cross bearing the word "citation" and the date "1914-1915." For each additional citation a bar bearing the word "citation" will be added. On the uniform the cross will hang from the green ribbon of the medal of 1870, but with the black bars, symbol of mourning for Alsace-Lorraine, suppressed. On civilian dress, to distinguish the cross from other medals, it will be worn without ribbon in the button hole.

NEW FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION APPOINTED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The president nominated the following new federal trade commission: Joseph Davies, Madison, Wis.; Edward M. Hurley, Chicago; William Harris, Cedarhurst, Georgia; Will Parry, Seattle; George Public, Cornish, N. H.

GEORGE WASHINGTON FLINT ARRIVES

Mike Flint, who is employed at the Belmont, took today off, not so much to celebrate the birthday of George Washington, but to pay his respects to another George, who will probably be named G. Washington Flint, an arrival at his home this morning, weighing nine and one-half pounds.

QUOTATIONS ORIGIN BEING SOUGHT AFTER

"A MAN WHO WALKS WITH GOD IS ALWAYS IN THE MAJORITY"

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Feb. 22.—Theological scholars have been searching in vain through the works of John Knox to find the kaiser's quotation attributed to him that "A man who walks with God is always in the majority." The Edinburgh Scotsman has called upon leading Presbyterian pastors, who confess themselves unable to find the words.

Did not the kaiser quote from Stephen A. Douglass or Wendell Phillips, asks the Scotsman. Douglass said, "God and one are a majority." Phillips' expression took this form, "One on God's side is a majority." Some scholars attributed the lines to an old Spanish proverb. At any rate, it is pointed out that being "in a majority" was not a sixteenth century phrase.

SARAH BERNHARDT'S LEG AMPUTATED AT THE KNEE

(By Associated Press.)
BORDEAUX, Feb. 22.—The right leg of Mme. Sarah Bernhardt was amputated today. The operation was rendered necessary by an affection of the knee. Her physicians' bulletin says: The condition of Mme. Bernhardt after the operation is good. The operation was ensured under the best of conditions.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY IS CELEBRATED AT CAPITAL

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Washington's birthday was celebrated in every government department. The president attended exercises held under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution and Sons of the Revolution. He was an interested listener for two hours, but did not make an address. In congress Washington's farewell address was read in both houses.

VOLUNTEER FIREMEN WILL GIVE AN ANNUAL BALL

At an adjourned meeting of the Tonopah volunteer fire department last evening the only business of importance transacted was the arrangement to hold the annual ball of the organization. The date was practically determined upon as Monday, April 12. It was also decided to begin the holding of drill as soon as the streets are in condition for fast work.